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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: **HOLTUS *et al.***

Title: **FOAMING INGREDIENT AND PRODUCTS CONTAINING THE INGREDIENT**

Application No.: **10/525,913**

International Filing Date: **08/22/2003**

371(c) Date: **09/08/2005**

Examiner: **Kelly Jo Bekker**

Art Unit: **1794**

Confirmation No.: **1024**

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**  
**TRANSMITTAL**

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

**Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

**Please enter and consider the Amendment previously filed on December 4, 2009 .**

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The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Fee Totals
<b>RCE Fee 1.17(e):</b>				<b>\$810.00</b>	<b>= \$810.00</b>
Total Claims:	27	- 28	= 0	x \$52.00	= \$0.00
Independents	1	- 3	= 0	x \$220.00	= \$0.00
			First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:	+ \$390.00	= \$0.00
				<b>CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:</b>	<b>= \$810.00</b>

[ ] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[ ] Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$130.00	0	\$0.00
[ ] Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$490.00		\$0.00
[ ] Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,110.00		\$0.00
[ ] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,730.00		\$0.00
[ ] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,350.00		\$0.00
	EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:		\$0.00
	EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID:		- \$0.00
	EXTENSION FEE TOTAL		\$0.00
	CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:		\$810.00
[ ] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):			\$0.00
[ ] Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)			\$0.00
	TOTAL FEE:		\$810.00

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$810.00 to cover the RCE filing fee is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

By   
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